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SUBJ: CORPORATE HEAD OFFICES GET BILL 101 REPRIEVE

REF: QUEBEC 0317 AND PREVIOUS

1. BILL 101 GODFATHER CAMILLE LAURIN YESTERDAY (AUG. 24)
TABLED A NUMBER OF LAST-MINUTE AMENDMENTS TO BILL 101, WHICH
IS DUE FOR THIRD AND FINAL READING IN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY TOMORROW.
MOST AMENDMENTS WERE TECHNICAL IN NATURE, BUT ONE INVOLVED
A SIGNIFICANT CONCESSION TO BUSINESS COMMUNITY.

2. CHANGE PERMITS NEGOTIATION OF "INDIVIDUAL AGREEMENTS"
BETWEEN CORPORATE HEAD OFFICES AND FRENCH LANGUAGE OFFICE
WHICH IS CHARGED WITH ENFORCEMENT OF BILL 101 PROVISIONS.
"AGREEMENTS" WOULD PRESUMABLY PERMIT CERTAIN DEGREE OF FLEXI-
BILITY REGARDING INCREASED USE OF FRENCH IN INTERNAL OPERATIONS
OF CORPORATE HEAD OFFICES. ONCE SUCH AGREEMENTS HAD BEEN
SIGNED, FIRMS WOULD BE CONSIDERED TO BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE
LAW. IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN, OF COURSE, HOW FLEXIBLE THE FRENCH
LANGUAGE OFFICE WILL BE IN NEGOTIATING THESE AGREEMENTS.
NEVERTHELESS, THERE IS NOW A BIT OF GIVE POSSIBLE WHERE BEFORE
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